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Attorney Docket No. 24796

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re patent application of:

HASHIMOTO

Serial No. 09/963,453

Art Unit: 2853

Filed: September 27, 2001

Examiner: L.. Liang

For: **PRINTING MACHINE AND THE METHOD OF REPORTING AN ERROR THEREOF**

RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action having a mailing date of June 6, 2002. The three month shortened statutory period to respond was set to expire August 3, 2002.

In view of the following amendments and remarks, the Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to reconsider and withdraw the outstanding objections and rejections and allow all claims pending in this application.

**AMENDMENT**

Please amend the above captioned application as follows:

In the Specification

Please amend the specification as shown in Attachment "A" hereto. A clean copy of the amended specification paragraphs is herewith provided in Attachment "B".

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Sir:

Submitted herewith for filing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is the following:

- (1) Transmittal Letter;
- (2) Response and Amendment with Attachments "A", "B", "C", and "D".

If an Extension of Time under 37 CFR § 1.136 is required and has not been separately requested herein, please consider this Transmittal Letter as including a request for such Extension of Time and as a further authorization to charge any fee for such Extension of Time, as may be required by 37 CFR § 1.17, to Deposit Account No. 14-0112.

Please charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, in connection with this matter to Deposit Account No. 14-0112.

Respectfully submitted,

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